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Transmitted herewith for filing in the above-identified application are the following enclosures:

- (X) Amendment and Response to Office Action in 13 pages.
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- (X) Notification of Loss of Small Entity Status.

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NOTIFICATION OF LOSS OF ENTITLEMENT TO SMALL ENTITY STATUS

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Dear Sir:

Applicant hereby notifies the Patent and Trademark Office that it is no longer entitled to status as a small entity and that the claim for small entity status filed on November 8, 2000 is hereby withdrawn.

Respectfully submitted,

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